

# Analysis and Comparison of Governor Schwarzenegger and President Bush's Health Care Reform Proposals

Governor's Plan		President's Plan
<div>Retiree living on \$50,000</div> <div>60-year-old insured retiree paying for individual health plan</div> <div>Total cost: \$8400</div>	<div>Option to buy basic coverage through state purchasing pool: \$2700</div> <div>Resulting in total premium savings: \$5700</div>	<div>Net tax cut for retiree: \$1875</div>
<div>Family earning \$60,000</div> <div>Insured through employer Employee, spouse, and two dependent children with Section 125 plan</div> <div>Total cost: \$16,000 Employer contribution: \$12,000 Family contribution: \$4000</div>	<div>Dependent children eligible for Healthy Families Program: \$180/child annually</div> <div>Resulting in total premium savings: \$640</div>	<div>Net tax increase for family: \$227</div>
<div>Family earning \$30,000</div> <div>Cannot afford insurance Employee, spouse and two dependent children</div> <div>Insurance would cost: \$6000 approx.</div>	<div>Dependent children eligible for Healthy Families Program: \$108/child annually</div> <div>Option to buy basic coverage through state purchasing pool: \$900</div> <div>Resulting in total premium savings: \$4884</div> <div>Net tax cut for family: \$85 (with Section 125 plan)</div> <div>Earned Income Tax Credit increase: \$250</div>	<div>Net tax cut for family: \$1148</div>
<div>Individual earning \$60,000</div> <div>Insured through employer without Section 125 plan</div> <div>Total cost: \$4800 Employer contribution: \$3600 Individual contribution: \$1200</div>	<div>Net tax cut for individual: \$503 (with Section 125 plan)</div>	<div>Net tax cut for individual: \$993 (with Section 125 plan)</div>